



2021-22 HUNTING SEASONS

Effective Sept 1, 2021 - Aug 31, 2022



For bag limits and other hunting regulations,
visit OutdoorAnnual.com.

ALLIGATOR

22 counties & special properties	Sept 10-30
All other counties	Apr 1 - June 30

MULE DEER

GENERAL SEASON

Panhandle	Nov 20 - Dec 5
SW Panhandle	Nov 20 - 28
Trans-Pecos	Nov 26 - Dec 12
Archery Season	Oct 2 - Nov 5

WHITE-TAILED DEER

GENERAL SEASON

North Zone	Nov 6 - Jan 2
South Zone	Nov 6 - Jan 16
Youth Only	Oct 30-31/Jan 3-16

SPECIAL LATE SEASON

North Zone	Jan 3-16
South Zone	Jan 17-30
Archery Season	Oct 2 - Nov 5
Muzzleloader-Only	Jan. 3-16

JAVELINA

North Zone	Oct 1 - Feb 27
South Zone	Sept 1 - Aug 31

PRONGHORN (by permit only)

Oct 2-17

SQUIRREL

East Texas	Oct 1 - Feb 27 & May 1-31
Youth Season	Sept 25-26
Other open counties	Sept 1 - Aug 31

DOVE

North Zone	Sept 1 - Nov 12 / Dec 17 - Jan 2
Central Zone	Sept 1 - Oct 31 / Dec 17 - Jan 14
South Zone, regular season	Sept 14 - Oct 31 / Dec 17 - Jan 21
Additional days for Special White-winged Dove Season (South Zone only)	Sept 3-5 & 10-12 (special regulations apply)

PHEASANT

Panhandle	Dec 4 - Jan 2
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QUAIL

Statewide	Oct 30 - Feb 27
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RIO GRANDE TURKEY

FALL SEASON

North Zone	Nov 6 - Jan 2
South Zone	Nov 6 - Jan 16
Brooks, Kenedy, Kleberg & Willacy counties	Nov 6 - Feb 27
Archery-Only	Oct 2 - Nov 5
North Zone (Youth Only)	Oct 30-31/Jan 3-16
South Zone (Youth Only)	Oct 30-31/Jan 17-30

SPRING SEASON

North Zone	April 2 - May 15
Youth Only	Mar 26-27 / May 21-22
South Zone	Mar 19 - May 1
Youth Only	Mar 12-13 / May 7-8
One-Turkey Counties	Apr 1-30

EASTERN TURKEY (Rio Grande & Eastern Turkey may be hunted in these counties)

Spring-Only Season, East Texas	Apr 22 - May 14
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CANADA GOOSE

Early East Zone Only	Sept 11-26
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EARLY TEAL-ONLY

Statewide (all counties)	Sept 11-26
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AVOID THESE COMMON MISTAKES

1. Do you have the correct license?

- A license is required to hunt even if hunting license tags are not used.
- Non Resident Special and Special 5 Day licenses are not valid for take of deer, pronghorn, bighorn sheep, or turkey.

Visit: OutdoorAnnual.com/licenses

2. Chronic Wasting Disease

- Are you hunting in a CWD Zone or importing carcass(es) of CWD-susceptible species from outside Texas?

Visit: OutdoorAnnual.com/cwd

3. County Regulations

- Are you hunting in a county with antler restrictions for white-tailed deer or mule deer?
- Are you hunting in a county or hunting an animal that requires harvest reporting?
- Check county listings for bag limits.

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2021-22 RECREATIONAL FISHING REGULATIONS

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For more information: tpwd.texas.gov/fishing

While fishing public waters of Texas, it is illegal to possess more fish than the daily bag limit, or fish that are within protected length limits. Possession limits are twice the daily bag limit.*

* For special bag, possession and size limits on certain waters: tpwd.texas.gov/oa

** All species in the aggregate, including their hybrids.

*** 25 (in any combination - only 10 can be 20 inches or greater in length)

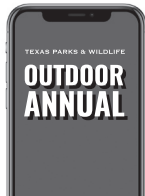
**** Fishery closed Nov 1 - Dec 14. Bag limit = 0

FRESHWATER SPECIES		Daily Bag	Length in inches (Min.) (Max.)	
Bass	black*, largemouth, smallmouth	5**	14*	No lim.
	Alabama, Guadalupe, spotted*	5**	No lim.	No lim.
	striped*	5**	18	No lim.
	white*	25	10	No lim.
Catfish	channel* and blue*	25***	No lim.	No lim.
	flathead*	5	18	No lim.
Crappie*		25	10	No lim.
Drum, red (fresh water)		3	20	No lim.
Gar, alligator		1*	No lim.	No lim.
MANDATORY: report your harvest at tpwd.texas.gov/oa/gar				
Trout	rainbow and brown	5	No lim.	No lim.
Walleye*		5*	No lim.	No lim.

OPERATION  GAME THIEF 24-Hour Reward Hotline (800) 792-4263

SALTWATER SPECIES		Daily Bag	Length in inches (Min.) (Max.)	
Amberjack		1	38	No lim.
Catfish, gafftopsail		5	No lim.	No lim.
Cobia		2	40	No lim.
Drum	black	5	14	30
	red	3	20	28*
Flounder**		5****	15	No lim.
Gar, alligator		1	No lim.	No lim.
MANDATORY: report your harvest at tpwd.texas.gov/oa/gar				
Groupers	black	4	24	No lim.
	gag	2	24	No lim.
	goliath & Nassau	0	Catch & Release Only	
Mackerel	king	3	27	No lim.
	Spanish	15	14	No lim.
Marlin	blue	No lim.	131	No lim.
	white	No lim.	86	No lim.
Spotted seatrout*		5*	15	25*
Shark	Atlantic sharpnose,			
	blacktip, bonnethead	1	24	No lim.
	Allowable species*	1	64	No lim.
	Hammerhead species	1	99	No lim.
	Prohibited species*	0	Catch & Release Only	
Sheepshead*		5	15*	No lim.
Snapper	lane	No lim.	8	No lim.
	red*	4*	15	No lim.
	vermillion	No lim.	10	No lim.
Snook		1	24	28
Tarpon		1	85	No lim.
Triggerfish, gray		20	16	No lim.
Tripletail		3	17	No lim.

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